

CANCER NORVEGICUS.



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Pedes octo, (rarius sex aut decem;) insuper manus duæ chelatae.

Palpi sex inæquales.

Oculi duo distantes, plurimis pedunculati; elongati, mobiles.

Mandibula cornea, crassa.

Labium triplex.

Cauda articulata, inermis.

Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel. p. 2963.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

CANCER thorace antrorsum aculeato, manibus prismaticis, angulis spinosis.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1053.

Astacus Norwegicus.

Degeer. ins. 7. p. 398. t. 24. f. 1.

Seb. mus. 3. t. 21. f. 3.

Astacum vulgarem magnitudine fere æquat Cancer Norwegicus, in mari arctico præcipue repertus.



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THE
NORWAY LOBSTER.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

Legs generally eight, (in some species six or ten,) besides two claspers or chelated arms.

Feelers six, unequal.

Eyes two, commonly distant; footstalked, movable.

Tail articulated, unarmed.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Long-bodied **CANCER**, with the thorax acute-angled forwards, and prismatic arms with the angles spiny.

NORWAY LOBSTER.

Br. zool. 4. p. 12. f. 24.

This species is nearly equal in size to the common Lobster, and is principally found in the Northern ocean.